

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 8 with the following rewritten paragraph:

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This application is related to the following commonly-owned co-pending patent applications: "Gaming Device Having Multiple Award Enhancing Levels," Serial No. 09/626,720, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-016; "Gaming Device Having Separately Changeable Value And Modifier Bonus Scheme," Serial No. 09/626,045, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-010; "Gaming Device Having Multiple Award Enhancing Levels," Serial No. 09/967,016, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-882; "Gaming Device Having Multiple Award Enhancing Levels," Serial No. 09/966,956, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-883; "Gaming Device With Bonus Scheme Having Multiple Award Levels," Serial No. 09/602,140, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-023.

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